

In the claims:

1. (Currently amended) A washer to be located between a nut and an object, comprising a body having an axis and provided with a first axial outer face surface located at one axial side and adapted to cooperate with the nut, a second axial outer face surface located at an opposite axial side and adapted to cooperate with the object to be assembled or disassembled, and at least one radially inner surface adapted to cooperate with a bolt; first means provided on said radially inner surface for providing a friction between said body and the bolt to frictionally impede the bolt from turning and at the same to allow the bolt to be displaced in an axial direction when the nut is turned; second means provided on said second axially outer face surface of said body for increasing friction of said second axially outer face surface of said body to increase a friction between said body and the object so as to impede said body from turning; and third means provided on said first axially outer face surface of said body for reducing a friction of said first axially outer face surface of said body to reduce a friction between said body and the nut so as to at least reduce dragging of said body into turning by the turning nut, so that when the nut is turned the body substantially is not dragged into turning because of said third means and said body is impeded additionally from turning by said second means so that said body of the washer does not turn and impedes the bolt from turning by said first means

and thereby the body of the washer does not turn but is only displaced in an axial direction, said body including a radially inner portion provided with said radially inner surface having said first means for providing a friction between said body and the bolt, and a radially outer portion which does not have first means for providing a friction between said body and said bolt, so that said radially inner portion engages the bolt while said radially outer portion does not and said radially inner portion displaces in said axial direction relative to said radially outer portion inside said radially outer portion.

2. (previously presented) A washer as defined in claim 1, wherein said body is formed as a single element provided with said surfaces and said first, second and third means.

3. (previously presented) A washer as defined in claim 1, wherein said body is composed of at least two portions, one of which is provided with said radially inner surface and with said first means.

4. (previously presented) A washer as defined in claim 1, wherein said additional radially inner surface of said body with said first means is formed so as to be connectable with a thread of the bolt.

5. (previously presented) A washer as defined in claim 1, wherein said body has a portion provided with said radially inner surface and said first means and movable in the axial direction.

6. (previously presented) A washer as defined in claim 1, wherein said body has one portion provided with said radially inner surface and said first means, and another portion which is frictionally connected with said one portion and provided with said second axially outer face surface and said second means adapted to frictionally cooperate with the object.

7. (previously presented) A washer as defined in claim 1, wherein said body has one portion provided with said radially inner surface and said first means, and another portion which is connected with said one portion via a breaking point which breaks when said one portion of said body is displaced together with the bolt in the axial direction.

8. (previously presented) A washer as defined in claim 1, wherein said body has at least one resistive point which is formed so that when the nut is turned and said first means of said radially inner surface stops the bolt from turning, a pull on the bolt created by the nut and elongating the bolt applies to said body an axial force which overcomes said

at least one resistive point so that a portion of said body is allowed to be pulled axially when the bolt elongates.

9. (currently amended) A fastener, comprising a bolt; a nut; and a washer placed on said bolt between said nut and an object to be assembled or disassembled, said washer including a body having an axis and provided with a first axially outer face surface located at one axial side and adapted to cooperate with a nut, a second axially outer face surface located at an opposite axial side and adapted to cooperate with an object to be assembled or disassembled, and at least one radially inner surface adapted to cooperate with a bolt; first means provided on said radially inner surface for providing a friction between said body and the bolt to frictionally impede the bolt from turning and at the same to allow the bolt to be displaced in an axial direction when the nut is turned; second means provided on said second axially outer face surface of said body for increasing friction of said second axially outer face surface of said body to increase a friction between said body and the object to impede said body from turning; and third means provided on said first axially outer face surface of said body for reducing a friction of said first axially outer face surface of said body to reduce a friction between said body and the nut so as to at least reduce dragging of said body into turning by the turning nut, so that when the nut is turned the body substantially is not dragged into turning because of said third

means and said body is impeded additionally from turning by said second means so that said body of the washer does not turn and impedes the bolt from turning by said first means and thereby the body of the washer does not turn but is only displaced in an axial direction, said body including a radially inner portion provided with said radially inner surface having said first means for providing a friction between said body and the bolt, and a radially outer portion which does not have first means for providing a friction between said body and said bolt, so that said radially inner portion engages the bolt while said radially outer portion does not and said radially inner portion displaces in said axial direction relative to said radially outer portion inside said radially outer portion.

10. (Original) A fastener as defined in claim 9, wherein said body including said portion is formed as a single element provided with said additional turning resistant surface.

11. (Original) A fastener as defined in claim 9, wherein said body is composed of at least two portions, one of which is provided with said additional turning resistant surface.

12. (Original) A fastener as defined in claim 9, wherein said additional turning resistant surface of said body is formed so as to be connectable with a thread of the bolt.

13. (Original) A fastener as defined in claim 9, wherein said body has a portion provided with said additional turning resistant surface and movable in the axial direction.

14. (Original) A fastener as defined in claim 9, wherein said body has one portion provided with said additional turning resistant surface, and another portion which is frictionally connected with said one portion and provided with said second face surface which is adapted to frictionally cooperate with the object.

15. (Original) A fastener as defined in claim 9, wherein said body has one portion provided with said additional turning resistant surface, and another portion which is connected with said one portion via a breaking point which breaks when said one portion of said body is displaced together with the bolt in the axial direction.

16. (Original) A fastener as defined in claim 9, wherein said body has at least one resistive point which is formed so that when the nut is

turned and said additional turning resistant surface stops the bolt from turning, a pull on the bolt created by the nut and elongating the bolt applies to said body an axial force which overcomes said at least one resistive point so that a portion of said body is allowed to be pulled axially when the bolt elongates.

17. (previously presented) A washer as defined in claim 1, wherein said body has a radially inner part provided with said radially inner surface adapted to cooperate with a bolt and having said first means, and a radially outer part arranged so that when the nut is turned and turns the bolt said body of the washer stops the bolt from turning and thereby the nut creates a pull on the bolt which elongates the bolt in an axial direction and applies to said radially inner part an axial force so that said radially outer part of said body does not move axially while said radially inner part of said body is allowed to pull axially when the bolt elongates and said radially inner part moves into an axial space which remains in said radially outer part.

Claim 18 cancelled.

19. (previously presented) A washer as defined in claim 1, wherein said second means is configured so that said second axially outer face surface of said body has a friction which is greater than a friction of a

remaining portion of said body, while said third means is configured so that said first axially outer face surface of said body has a friction which is smaller than a remaining portion of said body.

20. (previously presented) A fastener as defined in claim 9, wherein said second means is configured so that said second axially outer face surface of said body has a friction which is greater than a friction of a remaining portion of said body, while said third means is configured so that said first axially outer face surface of said body has a friction which is smaller than a remaining portion of said body.